

CDC-RFA-PS15-1509: Health Department Demonstration Projects for Comprehensive Prevention, Care, Behavioral Health, and Social Services for Men Who Have Sex with Men (MSM) of Color at Risk for and Living with HIV Infection

Strategies and Activities	Short Term Outcomes	Medium Term Outcomes	Long Term Outcomes
<p>Health department creates new/expands existing partnerships with CBOs, health care providers, and social services providers to implement comprehensive HIV prevention and care for MSM of color:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Lab-based 4th generation HIV testing - Routine and frequent HIV screening - PrEP/nPEP services if at substantial risk for HIV acquisition - PrEP/nPEP adherence support - Immediate linkage and ARV initiation if diagnosed with acute HIV - Expedient linkage and ARV initiation if diagnosed with established HIV - Retention and re-engagement interventions if living with HIV - Adherence interventions if living with HIV - STD screening - Partner services - Behavioral risk reduction services - Screening for behavioral health and social services needs - Linking to behavioral health and social services - Navigation for HIV prevention, care, and behavioral health and social services - Navigation for enrollment in a health plan <p>Health department provides:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Technical assistance and support to build collaborative capacity to provide sustainable lab-based 4th generation HIV testing, STD testing, PrEP/nPEP services - Training of collaborative members to provide HIV prevention and care services that are culturally competent for MSM of color 	<p><i>Collaborative implemented protocols and strategies for comprehensive HIV prevention and care for MSM of color to increase the number who are:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Screened with lab-based 4th generation HIV tests</i> - <i>Screened at least annually for HIV</i> - <i>Screened more often if at substantial risk for HIV acquisition</i> - <i>Prescribed PrEP/nPEP</i> - <i>Provided appropriate clinical management if prescribed PrEP/nPEP</i> - <i>Provided medication adherence support for PrEP/nPEP</i> - <i>Immediately linked to care and initiated on ARVs if diagnosed with acute HIV</i> - <i>Expediently linked to care and initiated on ARVs if diagnosed with established HIV</i> - <i>Provided retention interventions if living with HIV and engaged in care</i> - <i>Provided re-engagement interventions if living with HIV and lost to care</i> - <i>Provided medication adherence support/interventions if living with HIV</i> - <i>Routinely screened for STDs</i> - <i>Provided timely partner services</i> - <i>Provided behavioral risk reduction services</i> - <i>Screened for behavioral health and social services needs</i> - <i>Linked to behavioral health and social services</i> - <i>Provided navigation services</i> <p><i>Health department trained collaborative in:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Healthcare billing and reimbursement procedures</i> - <i>Provision of culturally competent HIV prevention and care for MSM of color</i> <p><i>Health department supported collaborative to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Designate/hire staff to perform billing and reimbursement activities</i> - <i>Implement billing for HIV tests, STD tests and treatment, and PrEP/nPEP services</i> - <i>Designate/hire navigators for accessing HIV prevention, care, and behavioral health and social services</i> - <i>Develop/implement tools to facilitate patient utilization of assistance programs for PrEP/nPEP medication costs</i> 	<p><i>Collaborative increased the number of MSM of color who are/have:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Diagnosed with acute HIV among all HIV diagnoses</i> - <i>Adherent to PrEP/nPEP</i> - <i>Retained in HIV care</i> - <i>Re-engaged in HIV care</i> - <i>Adherent to ARV medications</i> - <i>Received appropriate STD treatment</i> - <i>Sex partners who received HIV testing and linkage to care and STD testing and treatment</i> - <i>Received behavioral risk reduction services</i> - <i>Received behavioral health and social services</i> - <i>Enrolled in a health plan</i> <p><i>Collaborative has:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Expanded billing for HIV tests, STD tests and treatment, and laboratory tests required for PrEP/nPEP services</i> - <i>Increased proportion of HIV tests that are reimbursed by a third party payer</i> - <i>Increased proportion of STD tests and treatment and PrEP/nPEP services that are reimbursed by a third party payer</i> - <i>Developed business models for long term sustainability of HIV testing, STD testing and treatment, and PrEP/nPEP services</i> - <i>Developed service models for provision of culturally competent HIV prevention, care, and behavioral health and social services for MSM of color</i> 	<p>Among MSM of color:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Increased proportion of HIV diagnosed in the acute stage - Decreased incidence of HIV and STDs - Increased number living with HIV who are virally suppressed <p><i>Collaborative:</i> <i>Comprehensive HIV prevention, care, and behavioral health and social services for MSM of color</i></p> <p>Collaborative has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Sustainable service models for HIV testing, STD testing and treatment, and PrEP/nPEP for MSM of color at risk for HIV - Culturally competent service models for HIV prevention, care, and behavioral health and social services for MSM of color

Outcomes in *italicized type* should be accomplished during the project period